

Building Community, Enriching Lives
Newsletter: 7th April 2022

Happy Easter!

As we approach the Easter holiday, we remember that Easter is a time of hope and new beginnings. During the last few weeks, it has felt as if school life is beginning to return to 'normal' or as it was pre-Covid with a range of activities for our pupils and families. These include FOLS Quiz Night, Bikeability, Easter Fair, Dance Festival and the Year 5 and 6 residential trip. This has given everyone here a sense of hope and moving forward. As a school community, we are all very excited about moving into the new classrooms which will take our school onto the next chapter of its life as we keep our school vision 'Building Community, Enriching Lives.' at the centre of all we do. You are warmly invited to come and look around the new building on Friday 6th May after Celebration Worship which will take place at 2 pm.



FOLS Easter Fair

Thank you to FOLS for organising this event last Friday. It was lovely to see the children enjoying the activities and for friends and families to be able to have a chat over a cup of tea in our playground. Thank you to everyone who donated chocolate for the tombola and who helped and supported the event on the day, raising £319 for school.

Well done to all the Easter Colouring Competition winners!

Dance Festival

Well done to the Dance Club who took part in their first Dance Festival at Wycliffe School this week after only five rehearsals. They danced really well, were commended on their behaviour and manners and had a fabulous time.

Thank you Miss Cooper for organising this activity.



Swift Class Residential



Swift class have had a great time at Morfa Bay Adventure Centre this week taking part in sea activities, mud challenges, mountain biking and climbing amongst others. This is our first residential trip since Spring 2019 so they were all very excited about going. We are all glad you have had such a good time, thank you to Mrs Roberts, Mrs Tranter and Mr Sheldrake for going along with them.

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Skylark Class Fundraising Event



Many thanks to Skylark Class for their fundraising for their new classroom. The children planned the events for the afternoon and were busy all morning baking and making sweets to sell. They entertained with an obstacle course, a fun run and some singing which was much enjoyed by everyone. A great effort everyone and thank you to everyone who came along and supported the class.

School Drop Off and Pick Up Next Term

Drop off in the morning will stay as it has been all year next term. There will be a member of staff on the gate between 8.30am and 8.50am to welcome the pupils. The gate will be locked at 8.50am.

Pick up in the afternoon will return to parents parking in the car park and coming onto the playground to pick up their child/children. The school day will finish at 3.10pm and the gates will be unlocked at this time.

School Dinners for Goldfinch and Swift Classes

Hot school dinners will be returning for these classes from Tuesday 3rd May. Please find attached the menu for the summer term.

Lunches cost £2.34 per day for all KS2 children that are not eligible for a free school meal. Please remember to top up child's dinner money account on ParentPay prior to your child ordering a hot lunch.

If your child has any special dietary requirements, please ensure you register the information with Mrs Hinde so we can arrange for the appropriate menu to be sent to you.

If you have any problems logging into your account please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Hinde.

Forest School Dates – Term 5

26th April	Swallow Class	17th May	Swallow Class
3rd May	Skylark Class	24th May	Swift Class
10th May	Goldfinch Class		



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Friday 8th April	School Closed due to build
Monday 25th April	School Closed due to build
Tuesday 26th April	All children back to school for Term 5 Swallow Class Forest School
Wednesday 27th April	Goldfinch Class swimming
Monday 2nd May	Bank Holiday—school closed
Tuesday 3rd May	School hot lunches start for Goldfinch & Swift Class Skylark Class Forest School
Wednesday 4th May	Goldfinch Class last swimming
Friday 6th May	Parents' Celebration Worship at 2 pm followed by open afternoon to look around new classrooms.
Monday 9th May	Year 6 SATS begin
Tuesday 10th May	Goldfinch Class to Forest School
Wednesday 11th May	FOLS meeting 8 pm—Zoom
Friday 13th May	Suitcase Sale in the playground
Tuesday 17th May	Young Voices Concert Swallow Class Forest School
Tuesday 24th May	Swift Class to Forest School
Friday 27th May	Term ends 3.10 pm